Orange High School PTSO OHS Meeting Minutes

November 4, 2019

**Attendees**: Heather Walker, Lin Kerns, Beverly Garcia, Linda Morris, Carolyn Phillips, Kristi Geib, Anne Campbell, Rob Cardone, Kristin Merrill, Anne Purcell, Will Atherton, Donna Melvin, Carrie Doyle

Meeting called to order at 6:34PM.

**Minutes –** Heather reviewed last meeting minutes. Motion to approve, accepted.

**Treasurer’s Report –** Linda gave update. Learning curve on PayPal account, amount should hit the bank soon. Up-to-date through October. There was $235 donated that was not designated for a specific purpose. Probably intended for mini-grants because that was what we were soliciting for at the time. Decision to allot to mini-grant program. Electronic statement now being pulled, so up to date (do not need to wait for paper statement. Motion to accept, passed.

**Principal Purcell’s updates –**

* End of first nine weeks.
* Dr. Brantley named OCS Associate Principal of the Year
* New superintendent visited and toured today
* Heating and A/C finished in third wing, second wing will move out shortly
* Class of 1969 came for 50th reunion, toured school, will put concrete bench out front

**PTSO Updates -**

* Jessie Kelley – will be social media chair, will maintain social media. Has sent updates through Twitter.
* New on-line membership form – on PTSO website. Can sign up on-line and pay through PayPal. PayPal keeps 3.5%. Limits to 10 folks per month who can submit form and pay via PayPal, otherwise we are charged $30/month. Only see this as a problem at beginning of year.
* PTSO table set up during report card pick-up? Decided on no table.

**Fundraiser Updates –**

* Mini-grants – six applications, recommended four to be funding out-right. Did not fund a project that required on-going funding. One has been provisionally funded – needs to submit IT support documentation. Need to decide at a later meeting if we want to do again in the spring. Beverly will ask Jessie Kelley if she wants to tweet about the mini-grant program. Lin will send thank you notes to donors.
* That’s My Brick – no update

**New Business –**

* PayPal – how to designate for what the donation is intended. Linda will test it with a donation to see what the options are.
* County Commissioners passed sales tax on renewables. Discussion on how to spend that money. County is interested in ideas on sustainability. Ms. Purcell mentioned Project 360 at Cedar Ridge.

Motion to adjourn at 7:08PM.